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Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

Washington, D. C., January 15<sup>th</sup>, 1884.

Sir:

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had been made to the same size as the gold medal and the lettering thereon made to conform to the lettering on the gold medal. If so, I will thank you to forward copy of the same in soft metal to this Office.

Very respectfully,  
Horatio B. Church  
Director.

W. Loudon Snowden, Esq.,

Supt. Mint,

Philadelphia.



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Was Silver L.S.  
medal made same  
in sign & lettering as  
the gold medal.  
If so, marks in  
-brass in soft  
metal.



[Abstract:] Was silver L.S. medal made same in soft & lettering as the gold medal?

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